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TO AMEMBASSY COLOMBO IMMEDIATE

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TAGS: EAID, CE

SUBJECT: MOV AGREEMENT

REF: COLOMBO 1778

FROM AATHERTON TO VAN HOLLEN

YOU AND YOUR STAFF HAVE OUR CONGRATULATIONS AND THANKS FOR  
A DIFFICULT JOB WELL DONE. SUCCESSFUL RESOLUTION OF THE  
MOV ISSUE REMOVES THE ONLY MAJOR PROBLEM IN OUR PRESENT  
GOOD RELATIONS WITH SRI LANKA. I UNDERSTAND IT HAS BEEN  
A LONG AND HIGHLY COMPLICATED NEGOTIATION WHICH REQUIRED  
MUCH PERSISTENCE AND DILIGENCE BY ALL OF YOU. OUR HATS  
ARE OFF TO YOU. WARMEST REGARDS. SISCO

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## Message Attributes

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